OFFICE OF VIOLENT SEX OFFENDER MANAGEMENT



Dan Powers, Chairperson
Board Members
Christy Jack
Leo Longoria

Allison Taylor, Executive Director

Friday, October 5, 2012 at 9:30 a.m. 8407 Wall Street, Room S-402
Austin Texas 78754

MINUTES

Board Members Present

Dan Powers Christy Jack Leo Longoria

OVSOM Staff

Celeste Blackburn Allison Taylor Lupe Ruedas

Public Members

George Noelke, Attorney General Office Jim Norman, Attorney General Office Becky Dean, Barbara Corley, State Counsel for Offenders William Marshall, State Counsel for Offenders

Convene the Board of the Office of Violent Sex Offender Management

Chairman Powers convened the meeting at 9:30 a.m.

Introductions and Roll Call

Discussions of Regular Session

Report from Presiding Officer deferred to executive director of Office of Violent Sex Offender Management (OVSOM.)

Executive Director of the Office of Violent Sex Offender Management introduced new General Counsel for the Office of Violent Sex Offender Management, Celeste Blackburn to board members.

No report from General Counsel, Celeste Blackburn first meeting in attendance.

Discussions and possible action regarding consent items

No excused absences.

Discussion and possible action regarding approval of Board Meeting Minutes

Motion made to accept June 28, 2012 as presented; seconded and passed.

Discussion on 83rd Legislative Appropriations Request and Exception items no action.

Motion made to adopt proposed changes to 37 TAC Part 16, Civil Commitment, Sections§810.21-810.122, §810.151-810.153,§810.211,§810.241-810.242,§810.271-810-273, §810.281-810.23; seconded and passed.

Discussion and Possible action regarding Outpatient Sexually Violent Predator Treatment Program (OSVPTP) Treatment Manual; no action.

Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action Regarding Contracts, Agreements, and Understandings; no Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) with Department of State Health Services (DSHS.)

Discussion of future meeting date set for December 13, 2012 at 9:30a.m.

Public Comment

Comments received from Barbara Corley with State Counsel for Offenders comments to the proposed rule changes.

Adjournment

At 11:10 a.m., Chairman Powers adjourned the Office of Violent Sex Offender Management meeting.

Dan Powers, Chair

Date

Allison Taylor, Executive Director

1-25-13

Date

The Board may go into executive session on any agenda item as authorized by the Government Code, Chapter 551.

Agenda items may be taken in any order at the discretion of the chair. An individual who wishes to speak on an issue that falls under the Board's jurisdiction may be heard during the Public Comment agenda item. The Chair may establish and announce limitations on speakers, including time limits and when speakers may address the Board. The limitations, if any, may vary from meeting to meeting.

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